DAWN MARIE DOW

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ACADEMIC POSITIONS

Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology, University of Maryland, College Park.
 Assistant Professor, Department of Sociology, Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs, Syracuse University.
 Faculty Fellow, Institute for the Study of the Judiciary, Politics and the Media, Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs, Syracuse University.

2015-2016 Humanities Center Faculty Fellow, Syracuse University.

EDUCATION

2012 Ph.D., University of California, Berkeley, Sociology

Dissertation: "Racial Distinctions in Middle-Class Motherhood: Ideologies and

Practices of African American Middle-Class Mothers as Women,

Mothers and Parents."

Committee: Raka Ray (Chair), Barrie Thorne, Evelyn Nakano Glenn (Ethnic

Studies).

Exam Fields: Sociological Theory, Sociology of Law, Gender (with an emphasis in

Race and Ethnicity and Family).

2007 M.A., University of California, Berkeley, Sociology

Thesis: "Determinants of Employment of African American and White

Mothers Raising Preschool Aged Children: Integrated versus

Traditional Ideologies of Motherhood."

2000 J.D., COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY, SCHOOL OF LAW

1996 B.A., BRYN MAWR COLLEGE, SOCIOLOGY

Distinctions: Degree in Sociology with Honors. Minor in Africana Studies.
Thesis: "Economic and Social Survival Strategies of Poor Urban Single

Mothers in Kenya."

GRANTS, AWARDS & FELLOWSHIPS

2016	Meredith Professors, Teaching Recognition Award, Syracuse University
2015	Appleby-Mosher Fund, Syracuse University

2015-2016	Humanities Center Faculty Fellowship, Syracuse University
2015	Tenth Decade Award Finalist: "The Maxwell School Citizenship in America Survey:
	An Annual Poll," Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs
2013	Summer Project Assistant Program (funding for a summer research assistant),
	Syracuse University
2012	Appleby-Mosher Fund, Syracuse University
2010-2012	Center for the Study of Social Change, Graduate Fellow, UC Berkeley
2011-2012	Department of Sociology Fellowship, UC Berkeley
2010-2011	University of California Dissertation Year Fellowship
2010	Department of Sociology Research Stipend, UC Berkeley
2010	Department of Sociology Graduate Student Recognition for Mentoring
	Undergraduates, UC Berkeley
2009	Department of Sociology Graduate Student Recognition for Mentoring
	Undergraduates, UC Berkeley
2009-2010	Graduate Opportunity Program Fellowship, UC Berkeley
2009	Center for Race and Gender, Graduate Research Grant, UC Berkeley
2008-2009	Dean's Normative Time Fellowship, UC Berkeley
2005	National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellowship: Honorable Mention
2004	National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellowship: Honorable Mention
2004	Ford Foundation Predoctoral Diversity Fellowship: Honorable Mention

PEER REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

2016.	Dow, Dawn Marie. "The Deadly Challenges of Raising African American Boys: Navigating the Controlling Image of the "Thug." Gender & Society. 30:2 16-188. Published online: February 2016. http://gas.sagepub.com/content/early/2016/02/24/0891243216629928.abstract Reprinted in Zulema Valdez (ed). Beyond Black and White: A Reader on Contemporary Race Relation. October 2016. Sage Publications, Inc.	
2016	Dow, Dawn Marie. "Caring for them Like Family: Examining How Structure and Culture Simultaneously Influence Kin and Community Childcare Choices of Contemporary African American Middle- and Upper-Middle-Class Mothers." <i>Sociology of Race and Ethnicity.</i> 2: 72-86. Published online: August 2015. http://sre.sagepub.com/content/early/2015/08/10/2332649215598785.abstract	
2016	Dow, Dawn Marie. "Integrated Motherhood: Beyond Traditional Ideologies of Motherhood." <i>Journal of Marriage and Family.</i> 78:1 180-196. Published online: October 2015. http://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/doi/10.1111/jomf.12264/abstract	
2015	Dow, Dawn Marie. "Negotiating 'The Welfare Queen' and 'The Strong Black Woman': African American Middle-Class Mothers' Work and Family Perspectives." <i>Sociological Perspectives.</i> 58: 36-55. Published online: November 2014. http://spx.sagepub.com/content/early/2014/11/13/0731121414556546.extract.	

NON-PEER REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

2011 Dow, Dawn Marie. "Black Moms and 'White Motherhood Society': African

American Middle-Class Mothers' Perspectives on Work, Family and Identity." UC

Berkeley: Institute for the Study of Social Change. Retrieved from:

http://escholarship.org/uc/item/6kr3v4pz

MANUSCRIPTS UNDER REVIEW & IN PROGRESS

Book Manuscript:

n.d. Dow, Dawn Marie. "Racial Distinctions in Middle-Class Motherhood: Ideologies and

Practices of African American Middle-Class Mothers as Women, Mothers and

Parents." (Book Manuscript-Manuscript in Progress.)

Text Book Chapters:

n.d. Dow, Dawn Marie and Katherine Mason. "Gendering Social Reproduction." Invited

Submission for The Social Life of Gender: From Analysis to Critique (Textbook chapter-

accepted and under contract with Sage Publications for release in 2017)

Journal Articles:

n.d. Dow, Dawn Marie. "Enacting Black Feminist Thought on African American

Mommy Blogs." (Article- Manuscript in Progress.)

n.d. Dow, Dawn Marie. "Managing Racial Identity and Workplace Racial Rules of

Deference in Mainstream Corporate America." (Article- Manuscript in Progress.)

n.d. Dow, Dawn Marie. "Unpacking the Protections to African American Girls' Self-

Esteem: African American Middle-Class Mothers Enacting Black Feminist

Thought." (Article- Manuscript in Progress.)

REPORTS

2008 Dow, Dawn Marie. "Executive Summary: Diversity, Inclusion & Equity." Haas

School of Business, UC Berkeley

POPULAR WRITING

2016 Dow, Dawn Marie. "Is This What African American Freedom Looks Like?"

July 21, 2016. Gender & Society Blog. Invited Blog Entry.

2016 Dow, Dawn Marie. "The Deadly Challenges of Raising African American Boys."

March 23, 2016. Gender & Society Blog. Invited Blog Entry.

Dow, Dawn Marie. "Why 'Sending in the Moms' is not the Answer." June 30, 2015. Girl with Pen: Manly Musings. Invited Blog Entry.

PROFESSIONAL PRESENTATIONS

INVITED PRESENTATIONS

2016	"Making #BlackLivesMatter: Examining Past and Present Politics of Race and Policing" AMERICAN SOCIOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION ANNUAL MEETING
2016	"Conducting Intersectional Research: Challenges, Opportunities, and Strategies" CRITICAL RACE INITIATIVE, UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND, COLLEGE PARK
2016	"Black Sons Matter: The Deadly Challenges of Raising African American Boys." SOCIAL SCIENCE RESEARCH METHODS AT THE FRONTIER, UNIVERSITY OF MASSACHUSETTS, AMHERST
2016	"From Difficult to Deadly: African American Middle-class Mothers Navigating Gendered Racism in the lives of their Children." BOSTON COLLEGE
2015	"From Difficult to Deadly: African American Middle-class Mothers Navigating Gendered Racism in the lives of their Children." BRYN MAWR COLLEGE
2015	"Unpacking Othermothering: An Examination of Kin-provided Childcare in African American Middle-class Families." AGING INSTITUTE, SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY
2015	"To Be a Black Girl Can be Difficult but to be a Black Boy Can Be Deadly." HUMANITIES CENTER, SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY
2015	"Challenging the Controlling Image of the Thug: Raising African American Boys and Confronting Gendered Racism." ENCORE CONFERENCE, SOCIOLOGY DEPARTMENT, SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY
2014	"Black Lives Matter: The Deadly Challenges of Raising African American Boys." LE MOYNE COLLEGE
2014	"Negotiating 'The Welfare Queen' and 'The Strong Black Woman': African American Middle-class Mothers' Work and Family Perspectives." POETLUCK-THE WRITERS' COLONY AT DAIRY HOLLOW
2014	"Extended Family and Community Mothering in Contemporary African American Middle-Class Families." EASTERN SOCIOLOGICAL SOCIETY ANNUAL MEETING

2011	"Racial Distinctions in Middle-Class Motherhood." CENTER FOR THE STUDY OF SOCIAL CHANGE
2010	"Renaissance Blacks: The Making of the Next Generation of the Black Middle Class." HENDRICKS SYMPOSIUM; THINKING GENDER CONFERENCE; NSF ALLIANCE FOR GRADUATE EDUCATION AND THE PROFESSORIATE
2008	"Integrated vs. Traditional Motherhood: Determinants of Employment of African American and White Mothers While Raising Pre-school Aged Children." CENTER FOR RACE AND GENDER
CONFEREN	CE PRESENTATIONS
2016	"Enacting Black Feminist Thought on African American Mommy Blogs." EASTERN SOCIOLOGICAL SOCIETY ANNUAL MEETING: AMERICAN SOCIOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION ANNUAL MEETING
2015	"Kin-care in Contemporary African American Middle-class Mothers Lives: How Structure and Culture Influence Childcare Choices." AMERICAN SOCIOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION ANNUAL MEETING
2015	"Challenging the Controlling Image of the Thug: Raising African American Boys and Confronting Gendered Racism." AMERICAN SOCIOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION ANNUAL MEETING
2015	"Managing Racial Identity and Workplace Racial Rules of Deference in Mainstream Corporate America." EASTERN SOCIOLOGICAL SOCIETY ANNUAL MEETING
2013	"African American Middle-class Mothers' Work and Family Perspectives: Negotiating the Welfare Queen and the Strong Black Woman." AMERICAN SOCIOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION ANNUAL MEETING
2013	"Kin and Community Childcare in Contemporary African American Middle-class Mothers Lives." AMERICAN SOCIOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION ANNUAL MEETING
2013	"Integrated Devotions: Enacting and Resisting Archetypes and Stereotypes of African American Womanhood." EASTERN SOCIOLOGICAL SOCIETY ANNUAL MEETING
2012	"Black Moms in 'White Motherhood Society': African American Middle-class Mothers' Perspectives on Work, Family and Identity." EASTERN SOCIOLOGICAL SOCIETY ANNUAL MEETING

2011	"Conceptualizations of Contemporary African American Middle-class Identity." AMERICAN SOCIOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION ANNUAL MEETING		
2011	"The Emotional Management of Race in the Path Toward Professional Advancement." EASTERN SOCIOLOGICAL SOCIETY ANNUAL MEETING; AMERICAN SOCIOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION ANNUAL MEETING		
2009	"Mothering Ideologies of African American and White Women." AMERICAN SOCIOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION ANNUAL MEETING		
2009	"Determinants of Employment of African American and White Mothers While Raising Pre-school Aged Children." AMERICAN SOCIOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION ANNUAL MEETING		
2008	"Why African American and White Mothers Work While Raising Young Children: Integrated vs. Traditional Ideologies of Motherhood." CALIFORNIA SOCIOLOGY ASSOCIATION ANNUAL MEETING		
2005	"Racial Rules of Deference and the Legal Protection Model: The Role of Emotional Labor in Reproducing Racial Inequality in the American Workplace." LAW AND SOCIETY CONFERENCE ANNUAL MEETING		
MEDIA PRE	MEDIA PRESENTATIONS		
2014	"Retrospective on the Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Administration's 90 th Anniversary." (Invited) MAXWELL SCHOOL OF CITIZENSHIP AND PUBLIC AFFAIRS		
2013	"Response to the Trayvon Martin Verdict." (Invited) FRANCE24		
1996	"Survival Strategies of Poor Urban Single Mothers in Kenya." (Invited) GAEL JENNINGS RADIO SHOW, ABC RADIO 3LO 1996		
SELECT RESEARCH POSITIONS			
2008	Research Assistant, Diversity Committee of Haas School of Business, Timothy Dayonot (Committee Chair), UC Berkeley		
2005-2006 2003-2004	Research Associate, Level Playing Field Institute Research Assistant, Professor Catherine Albiston, Jurisprudence and Social Policy Program and Boolt Hell School of Law, LC Borkelov		
1996-1997	Policy Program and Boalt Hall School of Law, UC Berkeley Research Coordinator, Epidemiology Study of Sarcoidosis, University of Pennsylvania		
1995	Pennsylvania Research Assistant, Professor Robert Washington, Sociology Department, Bryn Mawr College		

1994-1995 Research Assistant, Professor Mary Osirim, Sociology Department, Bryn Mawr

College

1995 Independent Researcher: Thesis Field Research, Funded by the Dorothy Nepper

Marshall Fellowship and the African Exchange Fund, Bryn Mawr College

OTHER PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2000-2003 Corporate Law Associate, Securities and Banking Departments, Simpson Thacher &

Bartlett. New York, NY

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

INSTRUCTOR

Qualitative Methods (Undergraduate), Syracuse University
Qualitative Methods (Undergraduate), Syracuse University
Racial and Ethnic Inequality and Intergroup Relations (Undergraduate), Syracuse
University
The Sociology of Race and Ethnicity (Graduate), Syracuse University
Qualitative Methods (Undergraduate), Syracuse University
Qualitative Methods (Undergraduate), Syracuse University
Racial and Ethnic Inequality and Intergroup Relations (Undergraduate), Syracuse
University
Qualitative Methods (Undergraduate), Syracuse University
Racial and Ethnic Inequality and Intergroup Relations (Undergraduate), Syracuse
University
The Sociology of the Law and Racial and Ethnic Inequality (Graduate), Independent
Study, Syracuse University
Racial and Ethnic Inequality and Intergroup Relations (Undergraduate), (Two
Sections), Syracuse University
Racial and Ethnic Inequality and Intergroup Relations (Undergraduate), Syracuse
University
Sociology of Law (Undergraduate), UC Berkeley
Graduate School Mentoring for Undergrads (Undergraduate), UC Berkeley
Graduate School Mentoring for Undergrads (Undergraduate), UC Berkeley

GRADUATE STUDENT INSTRUCTOR

SP08	Evaluation of Evidence with Professor Kristin Luker, UC Berkeley
FA07	Evaluation of Evidence with Professor Kristin Luker, UC Berkeley
SP07	Introduction to Sociology with Professor Ann Swidler, UC Berkeley
FA06	Evaluation of Evidence with Professor Irene Bloemraad, UC Berkeley
SP06	Social Theory with Professor Michael Burawoy, UC Berkeley
FA05	Social Theory with Professor Michael Burawoy, UC Berkeley

TEACHER'S ASSISTANT

SU09	Field Study Practicum with Professor Dan Lewis, Northwestern
SU08	Field Study Practicum with Professor Dan Lewis, Northwestern
FA99	Negotiation Workshop with Professor Janice Tudy-Jackson, Columbia University
	Law School
SP96	United States Social Structure with Professor Mary Osirim, Bryn Mawr College
FA95	Sociology of Deviance with Professor Robert Washington, Bryn Mawr College
FA95	Sociological Research and Design with Professor David Karen, Bryn Mawr College
FA94	Sociological Research and Design with Professor David Karen, Bryn Mawr College

GUEST LECTURER

FA16	"Qualitative Research Lessons from the Field"
	SOCIOLOGY GRADUATE STUDENT PROSEMINAR WITH CHRISTINA PRELL AND
	Jeffrey Lucas
SP16	"From Difficult to Deadly: African American Middle-class Mothers Navigating
	Gendered Racism in the lives of their Children."
	Sociology Senior Honors Thesis Majors, with Professor Amy Lutz
SP15	"Controlling Images, Intersectionality, and Negotiating the Strong Black Woman and
	the Welfare Queen."
	RACE, CLASS AND GENDER, WITH PROFESSOR CECILIA GREEN
SP15	"How to Give a Great Academic Presentation."
	SOCIOLOGY SENIOR HONORS THESIS MAJORS, WITH PROFESSOR AMY LUTZ
FA14	"Planning your PhD."
	Future Professoriate, Department of Sociology, Syracuse University
FA14	"Preparing for the Job Market."
	Graduate Proseminar, Department of Sociology, Syracuse University
FA13	"Preparing for the Job Market."
	Graduate Proseminar, Department of Sociology, Syracuse University
FA13	"Preparing for the Job Market."
	FUTURE PROFESSORIATE, DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY, SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY
SP13	"Going on the Job Market."
	DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY, SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY
FA12	"Bridging Academic and Public Sociology: Navigating the Challenges of African
	American Middle-Class Mothering."
	Syracuse University Project Advance, Syracuse University
FA10	"Managing Hot Topics in the Classroom."
	New Graduate Student Instructor Pedagogy Seminar, UC Berkeley
FA09	"Diversity and Power Dynamics in the Classroom."
	NEW GRADUATE STUDENT INSTRUCTOR PEDAGOGY SEMINAR, UC BERKELEY
FA09	"Graduate School Mentoring for Undergraduates & Conducting Field Research."
	GSIOLOGY SERIES, BERKELEY UNDERGRADUATE SOCIOLOGY ASSOCIATION, UC
	BERKELEY

DISSERTATION & COMPREHENSIVE EXAM COMMITTEES

DISSERTATION COMMITTEE MEMBER

Peterchak, Tracy: "Dollar Store Economy: Low-Wage Labor and the Impoverished Worker/Frugal Consumer Relationship."

Bell, Marcus: "White Teachers, Race Matters: The Social Construction of Whiteness in Urban Education."

Hoy, Aaron: "The Experience and Meaning of Marital Dissolution Among Gays and Lesbians." Oliver, Will: "Uncle Sam's "Volunteer" Army: Re-conceptualizing Work, Military Families and Spouses, and the Role of the "Military Wife."

COMPREHENSIVE EXAM COMMITTEE MEMBER

Bell, Marcus: Qualitative Research Methods (completed fall semester 2014) Hoy, Aaron: Qualitative Research Methods (completed spring semester 2015)

Torres, Mauricio: Theory- Sociology of Race and Ethnicity (with an emphasis in Sociology of Law)

Daniele, Elizabeth: Theory (Theories of Inclusion and Exclusion)

Blasyak, Aaron: Qualitative Research Methods

ADVISING & MENTORING

GRADUATE STUDENT ADVISOR

Koonce, Danielle (University of Maryland) Torres, Mauricio (Syracuse University) Shelton, Samantha (Syracuse University)

MCNAIR SCHOLARS MENTOR

Peckoo, Shantai (Syracuse University)

SENIOR HONORS THESIS ADVISOR

Potter, Rachel (Syracuse University)

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

EDITORIAL

2013-Present	JOURNAL OF FAMILY ISSUES, Reviewer
2013-Present	AMERICAN SOCIOLOGICAL REVIEW, Reviewer
2012-Present	AMERICAN JOURNAL OF SOCIOLOGY, Reviewer
2010-Present	FEMINIST FORMATIONS (FORMERLY NWSA JOURNAL), Reviewer
2003-2005	BERKELEY JOURNAL OF SOCIOLOGY, Editor, Reviewer, Conference Organizer
1998-2000	COLUMBIA HUMAN RIGHTS LAW REVIEW, Editor
1997-1999	COLUMBIA JOURNAL OF GENDER AND LAW, Editor

SERVICE TO THE PROFESSION

2015-Present	Committee on the Status of Minorities
	EASTERN SOCIOLOGICAL SOCIETY ANNUAL MEETING
2015-2016	Gendered Racism, Vulnerability and State Sanctioned Violence: Race, Class and
	Gender, Regular Session Organizer and Discussant
	AMERICAN SOCIOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION ANNUAL MEETING
2015	Race and Workplace Inequality, Presider
	EASTERN SOCIOLOGICAL SOCIETY ANNUAL MEETING
2014	Fragile Middle Class and Hard Times, Thematic Session Organizer
	AMERICAN SOCIOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION ANNUAL MEETING
2014	Feminist Scholar-Activist Award Committee
	AMERICAN SOCIOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION, SEX & GENDER SECTION
2013	Racialized Mothering: Sustaining Families and Communities
	EASTERN SOCIOLOGICAL SOCIETY ANNUAL MEETING
2012	Challenges of Motherhood, Presider
	EASTERN SOCIOLOGICAL SOCIETY ANNUAL MEETING
2010	Race, Gender and Class Section Roundtable, Presider
	AMERICAN SOCIOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION ANNUAL MEETING
2010-2011	Hidden Bias Research Prize, Research Prize Panel
	LEVEL PLAYING FIELD INSTITUTE
2009	Invited Attendee
	COMPACT FOR FACULTY DIVERSITY: INSTITUTE ON TEACHING AND MENTORING

SERVICE TO THE CAMPUS AND DEPARTMENT

2016-Present	Policy Committee, Sociology Department, University of Maryland,
	COLLEGE PARK
2015-2016	GRADUATE COMMITTEE, SOCIOLOGY DEPARTMENT, MAXWELL SCHOOL OF
	CITIZENSHIP AND PUBLIC OF AFFAIRS, SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY
2014-2015	SEARCH COMMITTEE FOR ASSISTANT PROFESSOR, SOCIOLOGY DEPARTMENT,
	MAXWELL SCHOOL OF CITIZENSHIP AND PUBLIC AFFAIRS, SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY
2014-2015	SEARCH COMMITTEE FOR THE ASSOCIATE DEAN OF STRATEGIC COMMUNICATION,
	MAXWELL SCHOOL OF CITIZENSHIP AND PUBLIC AFFAIRS, SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY
2013-2015	EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE, SOCIOLOGY DEPARTMENT, MAXWELL SCHOOL OF
	CITIZENSHIP AND PUBLIC AFFAIRS, SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY
2013-Present	WRITE-IN (WEEKLY WRITING BOOT-CAMP), SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY
2013-Present	RESEARCH WORKSHOP, MOYNIHAN INSTITUTE, SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY
2013-2014	McNair Scholars Program Mentor, Syracuse University
2013	ALPHA KAPPA DELTA SOCIOLOGY HONORS SOCIETY, KEYNOTE SPEAKER,
	Syracuse University
2013	MAXWELL PRIDE, PANEL OF OUT OFFICIALS, MODERATOR, SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY
2008-2012	INTERDISCIPLINARY FAMILY STUDIES WORKING GROUP, UC BERKELEY
2006-2007	SOCIOLOGY DIVERSITY WORKING GROUP, SOCIOLOGY DEPARTMENT, UC
	BERKELEY
1999-2000	Women of Color Coalition, Co-President, Conference Organizer,
	COLUMBIA LAW SCHOOL

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

AMERICAN SOCIOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION
ASSOCIATION OF BLACK SOCIOLOGISTS
SOCIOLOGISTS FOR WOMEN IN SOCIETY
EASTERN SOCIOLOGICAL SOCIETY
NATIONAL CENTER FOR FACULTY DEVELOPMENT AND DIVERSITY
ACADEMIC LADDER

ADDITIONAL SKILLS

Spanish: Intermediate level reading, writing, and speaking.